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Dear Sir/Madam: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): Robert W. EricksonFor: RETAINING SYSTEM FOR SECURING A CUTTING TOOL TO A SUPPORT BLOCK

- ☒ Specification (7 Pages), Claims (6 pages), Abstract (1 page) and (2 sheet(s) of Informal Drawings)
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